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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to answer the outstanding Office Action mailed July 28, 2005, regarding the above-identified patent application. Please find a check enclosed in the amount of **\$225.00** to cover the extension fee for filing a Response within the second month.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s), and/or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-1290. **An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

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